UNIVERSITY HOSTEL

*940. [77] **Sri. A. P. Udayabhanu:** May I know from the Hon'ble Minister for Education, Labour and Civil Supplies whether Harijan students are kept segregated in the University Hostel in separate building with a separate mess?

Minister for Education, Food and Labour **(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai)** No.

BASIC EDUCATION

*941. [79] **Sri. N. V. Chacko:** Will the Hon'ble Minister for Education be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any practical steps are being taken to speed up basic education in the Travancore-Cochin State;

(*b*) whether any lump sum allotment for basic education is made in the budget for 1951-52;

(*c*) whether Government have any idea of starting

(1) a Rural University with agricultural and coir industries as crafts;
(2) secondary basic schools;
(3) basic senior and junior grade schools;
(4) Classes I and II as basic in all primary schools; and
(5) pre-basic classes for children of 2½ to 6 years of age?

Minister for Education, Food and Labour **(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai):**

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The contents of the Budget for the next year can not be divulged now.

(*c*) 1. No.

2, 3, 4 and 5. The questions will be considered.

BASIC SCHOOLS

*942. [80] **Sri. N. V. Chacko:** Will the Hon'ble Minister for Education be pleased to state:—

(*a*) how many basic schools there are at present in the Travancore-Cochin State;

(*b*) where these schools are situated;

(*c*) how many pupils there are in each school;

(*d*) what amount of annual grant is being or proposed to be given to each school;

(*e*) whether there are (1) pre-basic, (2) basic, (3) night and (4) special Hindi classes in the basic school at Ernakulam;

(*f*) whether any grant is being given by the Government to the Basic school at Ernakulam?

Minister for Education, Food and Labour **(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai):**

(*a*) Four Basic Schools.

(*b*) At Theroor in Agastheeswaram Taluk, Kalady in Kunnathunad Taluk, Mayannur in Talappally Taluk and Ernakulam in Cochin-Kanayannur Taluk.

(*c*) The information is being collected;

(*d*) In the Theroor and Kalady Basic Schools a monthly grant of Rs. 30 per mensem and D.A. at the rate of Rs. 20 p.m. is paid per teacher. The Mayannur and Ernakulam Basic Schools are not recognised and are not paid any grant.

(*e*) The answer is not yet ready.

(*f*) No.

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